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REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND AND AMENDMENT

In response to the Communication mailed February 26, 2004 for the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of the deadline to respond to April 26, 2004. A check for \$110.00 is enclosed in accordance with 37CFR1.17(a)(1). Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies and credit any overpayment to OSI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Deposit Account No. 502783. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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